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Subject: RE: Got your voicemail regarding Newark

The meeting last night went well. There was just a passing comment about ensuring drinking water safety, but no questions.

Thanks for your help in getting prepared but I'm glad I didn't have to use it.

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Thanks. I spoke with Reema and gave her a brief idea of what to say and sent her some materials on reducing lead exposure in drinking water. I suggested to avoid saying anything about the NRDC NOI, other than we're aware and evaluating.

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Thanks, guys! Reema Loutan from CASD is participating in a community meeting tonight with NJDEP and the Mayor, so we were also just looking for general guidance/talking points in case the issue is raised. The blurb from DEP below is helpful.

Whenever you have something we can share with EPA staff, I can distribute to the Newark Team, or please feel free to send around.

Thanks!

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Thanks Christine. The fact sheet is almost done. We expect to distribute it internally tomorrow for review and with NJDEP. Please let me know if you have any questions.

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I'm in jury duty today so sorry to not be more helpful, but yes PAD is aware of the issue - You can also reach out to Peter Brandt. A statement from NJDEP that was sent to Mary Mears is below. We are working with NJ, and also on a factsheet but I am not sure it's finished yet - I've cc'd Dan and Doug in case they have the latest. Thanks.

This is the official statement we released: We just received the notification from the NRDC , and we are reviewing it. In the meantime, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection fully understands the importance of clean drinking water and takes very seriously the federal and state Safe Drinking Water Acts and their mission to protect public health. The DEP continues to work closely with the Newark Water Department to ensure that all necessary action is taken

to address any lead action level exceedance and to bring the water system into compliance.

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